coroner said that he should make as thorough an investigation as possible to discover the perpetrators of the crime.

Bertan's Island, where the body was found, is between North Brother and Riker's Island. The body was lying on a marshy piece of ground, and evidently had been washed up there by the tide. The face was downward. He had been committed by Police Justice Kilbreth, of this city, on a charge of being drunk and disorderly on September 26. He described himself as Peter Fagan, a native of Ireland, fifty-three years of age, and a blacksmith by trade. He was sentenced to ten days in the workhouse. Fagan did not reach the workhouse on Blackwell's Island until two days afterward, on September 28. Dr. Macdonaid, of the iusane Asylum, desired that a blacksmith be sent to him at Ward's Island, and Fagan was immediately detailed for that duty. Dr. Macdonaid stated to a Tribune reporter yesterday that Fagan had been on Ward's Island only about half an hour when word was received that he had fied. There were boats constantly cruising about the island, the occupants of which always were ready to pick up any person who desired to escape. Fagan undoubtedly had a chance to escape in one of these boats. He was then on the verge of delirium tremens, and probably soon engaged in the desperate his flight to Superintendent Van Brunt, but as Fagan had only a few days longer to serve in the workhouse it was not deemed worth while to make any special effort to secure his return.

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The first fatal accident with electric light wires in this city occurred about 11 a.m. yesterday at Canal and Elizabe.h-sts. Two men, employed by the Brush Electric Lighting Company, were engaged at the time transier.ring wires from telegraph poles on the east side of Elizabeth-st, to higher poles on the west side of the street. In order to transfer the wires the workmen were obliged to introduce sections about ten feet long at each pole. The insulating coverings of the wires were removed for a distance of a few inches near the poles and when the ends of the sections had been attached the wires were cut and transferred. Joseph Staman, a lineman who lived in East Houston-st., was working on a pole at Canal and Elizabeth-sts. Contrary to orders he removed the coverings of both the electric light wires on the cross arm where he worked before attaching the ends of a section to either wire. His body at once formed a connection between the positive and negative wires.

Frederick Layman, the assistant foreman, noticed Staman hanging from the two wires, each hand firmly clasped. His body was swaying to and from the lar, and his limbs trembled convulsively while his features were drawn out of shape by the agous he was endaring. A alarm was given and other linemen were sent up the telegraph pole. They first cut the wires to prevent further harm. Then they lowered Staman to the street. He was alive still, but insensible. He was carried to the Elizabeth st. police station, where he died in about fifteen minutes. The only visible effect of the electric current on Staman's body was on the palms of his hands. There the skin had been burned away and the flesh was blackened. Staman was thirty-one years old and was married.

BRUTALITY OF A SEA CAPTAIN.

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The Phada, a French vessel, arrived at Hoboken from London on Tuesday night. Soon afterward the captain, John G. Graham, went before Recorder McDonough, of that piace, and caused the arrest of John Owens, a sailor on the vessel, on a charge of having stabbed him three times during the voyage, Owens was arrested on the vessel and was locked up in the police station. Yesterday morning he was arraigned before the Recorder, and told a pitiful story of cruelty. He said he shipped on the vessel at a French port. The captain was unable to get a full crew there and he sailea to London. There he engaged the services of ten men, only four of whom could speak English. After the vessel had been a few days out some of the crew showed signs of laziness and refused to do the amount of work expected of them. The captain. Owens said, declared that he was the cause of the trouble, and compolled him to do the work of three men. When the vessel was ten days out, Owens refused to do the work any longer. The mate and captain then attracked him, and beat him in a most men. When the vessel was ten days out, Owens refused to do the work any longer. The mate and captain then attreked him, and beat him in a most brutal manner, the former using a belaying-pin and the latter a "block-chock." On the following day they again attacked him, and in self-defence he drew a sheath-knife and stabled the captain. The latter then drew a revolver, and Owens ran away, taking refuge in the forcastle, where he was found by the captain and mate. He was dragged out, he said, by the captain, be directed the mate to lash him. He then, he said, bared his breast and said he would rather be shot and killed outright. Then the captain, he said, fired one shot sai him, but it missed him. He was then placed in irons and fastened to the deck, where he was kept for several days, with only a pint of water and a biscuit for his day's rations. The man's head and body bear marks of rough usage. He was remanded until his story can be investigated.

A BRITISH STEAMSHIP DISABLED.

The steamship Gellert of the Hamburg-American Line, which arrived from Hamburg-American Line, which arrived from Hamburg yesterday, brought news of the British steamship Mount Lebanon, spoken at sea in a disabled condition. The Mount Lebanon satied from Baltimere on September 20 for Havre, with a full cargo, principally of grain. Captain Vegeisang, of the Gellert, said that the Mount Lebanon had lost ner screw during a gale. She was spoken on Sunday morning about forty-five miles east of Sable Island, and signalled to the Gellert that she wished to be towed to Halifax. A tow-line was passed between the vessels and they headed toward Halifax, but thick weather set in and the coarse was changed to New-York. At 2 a. m. on Monday the tow-line parted, and the weather moderating afterward a five-inch steer wire hawser was passed to the disabled vessel and she was taken in tow again.

The gale increased afterward and caused a treacherous sea to rise. The wire repe parted about 8 a. m. The weather continued to be so had that it was impossible to take the disabled steamer again in tow. Captain Vogelsang signalled that if the officers and crew of the Mount Lebanon wished to abandon their vessel he would take them off, but the offer was declined. The two vessels then parted company, the Mount Lebanon being hove to and no sail set. The cargo of the Mount Lebanon consisted of 40,200 busiels of wheat, 320 hegsheads of Maryland tobacco, 500 sacks of flour, 300 bales of cotton, 250 hogsheads of Virginia tobacco, 450 sacks of barks, 15,385 staves, 21 poplar logs, 3,043 white oak planks and 3,660 white-oak staves. A BRITISH STEAMSHIP DISABLED.

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While John Saulsbury, age seventy-five, of Atheas, N. Y., was passing it rough West-st., near Beach-st., on Tuesday evening, it was accessed by a strongly built man who volunteered to assist him. They had walked only a few paces when the old man was attacked by his companion, and his pocket-book containing \$800 in bank bills was taken from him. Officer Naughton, of the Fifth Preciot, was standing at Hubert and West-sts. and saw the struggle. The officer gave chase to the thief. The latter in his flight threw the pocket-book under a track. The ruffian was soon cap tured. He gave the name of Paul Prescott, age twenty-eight, of Boston. The pocket-book, with seven \$100 bills and two \$50 bills was found under the truck. When Prescott was taken before Justice Murray yesterday at the Tombs Police Court he had several cuts and abrasions on h.s face. Mr. Saulsbury on seeing him was so nervous that he was unable to give satis actory evidence. The affidavit of the police officer was taken against Prescott, and he was committed for trial without bail. The complainant was sent to the House of Detention.

DANGEROUSLY STABLED BY A RIVAL.

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Peter O'Neill, age twenty-one, was waiking through Washington-st. on Thesday night, in company with a young woman, when they were observed by William J. Pembroke, age twenty, of No. 140 in the same street. He ran toward O'Neill and Stabbed him several times in the neck and abdomen, inflicting serious wounds. O'Neill was removed to the Chamoers Street Hospital, where he now lies in a critical condition. Fembroke was arrested two hours afterward at his home, where he was found secreted under a bed. He was charged with a felonious assault on O'Neill before Justice Murray yesterdry at the Tombs Police Court, and was held to await the result of O'Neill's injuries. The attack was due to jealeusy on the injuries. The attack was due to jealousy on the part of Pembroke, the young woman having been at one time his sweetheart.

RESORTING TO ARBITRATION.

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The Iron and Metal Exchange, Limited, has amended its by-laws so as to provide for an arbitration committee of three associate members of the Exchange, to be appointed by the Board of Managers each month. It is to be agreed by those submitting points for settlement that the decision of the committee shall be final in every case. Mem bers have the privilege of submitting their matters for arbitration to a committee composed of an associate member selected by each side, the two so selected to name the third member from the regularly appointed arbitration committee. A decision supported by two arbitrators is to be considered

binding, but no arbitration is to be valid unless all three arbitrators are present at all hearings.

A BURIAL PERMIT REPUSED.

Nicolo Borneo, an Italian, twenty-one years of age, died on Tuesday in the Almshouse on Blackwell's Island from the effects of a pistel shot wound received, as he said, fourteen months age, at the hands of another Italian in a disturbance in New-Jersey. The Bureau of Vital Statistics refused to grant a burial permit yesterday. Dr. J. E. Weeks, the Almshouse physician, said last night that Borneo was brought from the New-York Hospital on July 14. He had not taken great pains to elicit the man's story, because he thought the matter had been investigated previously. Death had resulted from the effects of the shot. The bullet had entered on the right side, and passed into the spinal column, fracturing the backbone. The Superintendent of the New-York Hospital said the man was brought there on May 30, 1881. He had been wounded in a discurbance at Deckertown, N. J. The man could not talk English, but through an interpreter Coroner Merkle took his statement on May 18, 1882, and on July 14 he was removed to Blackwell's Island. The superintendent thought the Coroner would not hesitate to grant a burial permit as soon as the matter was brought to his notice. A BURIAL PERMIT REFUSED.

SHOOTING IN A TENEMENT-HOUSE.

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Mrs. Ann Hogan, of No. 69 Bayard-st., went home intoxicated yesterday forenoon and sat down in the lower hallway, whence her husband, James Hogan, attempted to lead her to their rooms on the top floor. Mrs. Hogan resisted, when James Perry and his wife Mary, hearing the noise, came from their room, and Perry tried to get Hogan away. The two men grappled and Mrs. Perry then struck Mrs. Hogan over the head with a pitcher, knocking her to the floor and inflicting three scalp wounds. Hogan meanwhile had reached the stairs and was ascending them when Perry fired two shots at him from a revolver, one shot taking effect on the left side of Hogan's head, the other in his left hip. Perry and his wife were arrested by Policeman Galligan, of the Elizabeth Street Squad, and Hogan and his wife were taken to St. Vincent's Hospitai, where they were said last night to be doing well, no apprehension of their death being felt.

OFFICIALLY INSPECTING THE TUNNEL. OFFICIALLY INSPECTING THE TUNNEL.

Coroner Herrman and the jury who are holding the inquest on the persons killed by the railway collision in the tunnel visited the scene of the disaster at neap yesterday. They were taken to the spot in a train under the care of Superintendent Toucey, inspected it e tunnel and the signal stations up to One-hundred-and-tenth-st., walked through the tunnel from Eighty-sixth to Ninecy eighth-st, and were shown that an engineer could stop a train within a hundred feet after receiving a signal by the explicitly sixth of the spirit of the signal of testimony will be continued at 2 p. m. to-day.

DESTROYING HIS WIFE'S BEAUTY. DESTROYING HIS WIFE'S BEAUTY.

Albert Arthur, who stabbed his wife a variety actress, at Aberle's Theatre on Monday night, was arraigned yesterday before Justice Bixby at the Jefferson Market Folice Court. He confessed that he had out his wife in the tace with a knife and that he was instigated by lealousy. He and h's wife had quarrelled and separated. His wife had gone on the stage at Aberle's, and on the night of the stabling her hisband found her in a private box at the theatre in company with several men. He said his purposes in stabling her was to spoil her beauty. Arthur was committed to prison without bail, as the physicians said that the woman's wounds were dangerous.

THE PEABODY EDUCATION FUND.

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE TRUSTEES. REPORT OF THE GENERAL AGENT-WORK OF THE LAST YEAR IN VARIOUS STATES.

The annual meeting of the trustees of the Peabody Education Fund was begin at the Fifth Avenue Hotel at noon yesterday. There were present ex-President Hayes, Hamilton Fish, Samuel Wetmore, A. A. H. Stuart, of Virginia; Bishop Wanpile, Judge Manning, of Louisiana; Anthony Drexel, of Philadelphia; William M. Fyarts, Chief-Jussice Waite, Colonel Theodore Lyman and D. J. L. M. Curry, Judge Manning presented a report, stating that he had addressed the Governor and Legislature of Mississipp on the subject of the bonds of the Peabody Fund repudiated by that State, He gave no encouragement for their final payment. J. L. M. Curry, the general agent, then read his report. It was in part as follows:

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Although the administration of the Peabody Education Fund has been in operation since 1867, and twenty full reports have been published and winely distributed, inaccurate notions are entertained as to the intention of Mr. Peabody, the amount of the fund, and the off-declared policy of the irustees. It seems almost impossible to cradicate two misapprehensions, first, that the fund was intended as a charity for the poor; and secondly, that all schools complying with the prescribed conditions precedent are entitled to pro rata assistance. The fund is not electrosynary, but has a distinct and well-defined object. As the became of the funa is limited, only a few schools can be aided; and the trustees, in accordance with the wirk of Mr. Peabody, by fulcious selections of schools and localities, and by appropriations limited as to amount and time, have seduciously striven to aid in the establishment of a permanent system of "free schools for the whole people." The prime purpose of maining pascent school systems of the Southern States so as to enable them to attain to permanency and efficiency, has been kept steadily in view.

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Mr. Curry then stated some of the obstacles en countered in the proper carrying out of the work of the lund and spoke encouragingly of the growing interest in education in the South. He mentioned the Slater Fund and Tulane Fund, and, as showing the need of such funds, presented statistics showing that there are four millions of adult crizens and two millions of voters in the Southern States who cannot write their names. A review of the work-ing of the fund for the last year was then given by Mr. Curry, in which he said:

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The Normal College at Nashville had a profitable and
successful year. The commencement was of unusual interest; and, as evidence or popular estimation, the
large room used was not able to book those desiring admission. The degree of Licentiate of Instruction was
conferred upon thirty-three persons, and of Bachelor of
Arts upon eight persons.
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At the close of the General Agent's report the trustees adjourned until to-day at II o'clock.

HOME NEWS.

PROMINENT ARRIVALS.

WHAT IS GOING ON TO-DAY. Continuation of Fourth Avenue Railroad tunnel accident inquest.
Republican mass-meeting at Chickering Hall.
Meeting of Slater Fund trustees at Fifth Avenue Ho

ll. Senate Insurance Committee's investigation. Archery tournament at St. George's Cricket Ground. doboken.

American Jockey Club races at Jerome Park.

Trotting races at Gentlemen's Driving Park.

Meeting of Chamber of Commerce.

NEW-YORK CITY. The building of a town hall is urged in Mount Vernon. The Salvation Army now hold open-air meetings every evening in Abingdon Square.

Complaint is made of the bad condition of the boulevards in Eastchester and Westchester. A drinking fountain for the use of sailors at or near the shipping office at Coenties-slip is needed. The new cars on the Eighth-ave, surface road have three lamps at each end, giving readers in the evening plenty of light.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company have begun placing electric lights in their passenger cars. The Edison system is used. Eduson system is used.

The testimony in the contest over the will of the late Alonzo C. Yates was closed yesterday. The summing up will take place in November.

"The Lincoln," "the Lafayette," and "the Washington" are names of apartment houses which stand shie by side in upper Eighth-ave.

A large elm tree in Battery Park was ent down yesteroay, as it obstracted the elevated railway. In talling the tree carried with it tairteen telegraph

TOO MUCH RED TAPE. Plumbers in the annexed district complain of the amount of red tape required to have a mere application for the introduction of Croton approved by the

PROPERTY PURCHASED BY AN EXCHANGE,
The New-York Cotton Exchange by a deed recorded in the Register's Office yesterday acquired
the property at William and Beaver-sts. The considgration was \$105,000.

A LOTTERY DEALER ADMITTED TO BAIL, Harris Germansky, of No. 40 Canal-st, was batied in \$500 by Police Justice Smith at Police Head-quarters last night, on the charge of attempting to sell a lottery ticket.

FALLING DOWN AN ELEVATOR SHAFT. Dennis Croura, age nineteen, of No. 27 Vestry-st. fell down ac cievacor shaft at No. 200 East Flarty-seventh-st. yeserday and was scriously injured. He was removed to Bellevúe Hospital.

Ellen McElhenny, age ninety-eight, of No. 79
Elizaueth-st., fell down her cellar steps yesterday, and died from shock and a fractured skull. She had kept a boarding-house, was eccentric, and wished

John Poweil, of No. 237 Sixth-st., was killed on Tuesday by falling down the stairs at No. 406 East Eleventh-st. He was told that his dog was nighting in the street, and rushed out in such haste that he lost his footing on the stairs and fell.

ABRIVALS BY THE SCYTHIA.

Among the saloon passengers who arrived here yesterday on the steamer Scythia of the Cunard Line were the Dean of Bangor, Sir Charles Young, Laty Young, the Marquis C. D'A. Palavicino and the Countess Marsoensiscwstoff. A fine of \$10 was in.

A fine of \$10 was imposed on Daniel Thompson, of Saratoga, by Justice Patterson in the Essex Market Porice Court yesterday for carrying a revolver. Thompson was arrested in the Bowery while engaged in an altercation with an ingknown man. PRESENTATION TO A RAILWAY OFFICIAL.

PRESENTATION TO A RAILWAY OF A DINNER OF VETERANS.

The members of the 7th Regiment Veteran Association will eat their annual offiner at Deliaonico's on Friday evening. Among those who are expected to respond to toasts are Chauncey M. Depew, General Stewart L. Woodford, General Horace Porter and ex-Mayor Wirkham.

THE STRIKING HORSESHOERS. The Executive Committee of the striking horse-shoers was in session all day yesterday. It was reported that in the majority of the snops the use of machine-made shees had been discontinued and

that the strike was considered a success. STABBED IN THE SHOULDER AND HAND.
Andrew McNamara, age twenty-one, of Fifty-third-st, and Fenth-ave., was stabbed in the snoulder and hand, and seriously injured, at No. 785 Eleventh-ave., last night, by Thomas Hall, of the latter place. He was sent to Koosevelt Hospital.

latter place. He Hall was arrested. A DRUGGIST INJURED BY AN EXPLOSION.

Charies lains, a druggist, of No. 131 Allen-st.,
was compounding a solution of potash and phosphorus yeste day when the jar, containing the mixture, was shattered suddenly in his hands by an explesion. He was wounded severely in the abdomen and his hands were cut badly.

A COMMITTEE CLERK MISSING.

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Henry Clay 1 isk, cierk of the Pacific Railroad Congressional Committee, has been missing since June 16. On that day he telegraphed to Colcuel Morgan in Washington for some money to be sent him at the Bemout House, at No. 141 Fulton-st. in this city. His name does not appear on the hotel register and no information can be obtained con-

erning him at the hotel. THE WORK OF THE GERMAN SOCIETY. THE WORK OF THE GERMAN SOCIETY.
Statistics were submitted at the meeting of the
directors of the German Society yesterday showing
that 9 persons had been returned to Germany and
65 immigrants attended by physicians during the
month of September. The number of persons provided with work was 3,632. The receipts for the
month were \$1,136.72 and the expenses \$751.16.

A ROMAN CATHOLIC SYNOD CALLED. Cardinal accloskey has sent letters to all the Roman Catholic eargymen of the Archdocese of New-York directing them to meet for the purpose of holding a synod at St. Patrick's Cathearia on Wednesday, November S. This will be the fourth synod of the Archdocese of New-York, the last having been held in 1868.

ARRESTED OF A CHARGE OF HOMICIDE.

Thomas H. Taylor, age rifty, of No. 256 West
Tentu-st., was found dead in his bed yesterday in a
miscrable room which he occupied. On September
22 Taylor was severely beaten by Edward
McGuire, an ex-convict; and as some of his ribs
were broken and many bruises were found on his
body, McGuire was arrested yesterday on the charge
of causing Taylor's death.

One of the jurors summoned to serve in the Superior Court yesterday appeared before Judge Areax and assed to be excused. He was told that he must assign a good and smillernt reason before his request could be granted. Thereupon he said that the only reason he could assign was that he had the small pox. The reason was considered sufficient and no attempt was made to test the truth of it.

A NEW STATEN ISLAND FERRY.

The president and a committee of the Staten Island Rapid transit Company conferred with the Dock commissioners yesterday in relation to securing faculities for establishing a ferry from Pier No. 1, North River, to Staten Island. The commissioners premised to give the matter due consideration and intimated that their decision would be favorable.

able.

AN EXPLANATION WHICH WAS SATISFACTORY,
Watter Stallwell, of No. 191 Broome-st., was arrested in an intoxicated condition on Tucsday evening by Officer Smott on suspicion of having stoten a lady's sack, which he was carrying in a bundle. He explained yesterday at the Jefferson Market Police Court that he was taking the sack to his wife, who was attending a theatreal performance. His wife corroborated his statements and he was discharged. The Killing of Bertha Quaren.

An inquest was held by Coroner Merkle yesterday on the body of Bertha Quaren, who died at No. 109 Greenwich st. from a pistol-shot wound in the abdonen, which she received on September 22 at the hands of Paul Hamelberg, an employe of her husband. The evidence showed concusively that the shooting was accidental, and the jury rendered a verdict accordingly. Hamelberg was discharged.

A CHICAGO MAN ROBBED IN WALL-STREET, A CHICAGO MAN ROBBED IN WALL-STREET.
Detectives Fogarty and riandy, of the Fifth Precinet, brought before Justice Murray yesterday at
the 10mbs Police Court Martin Healy, age twentyoffic, of No. 221 East Fourth-st., for having assaulted and robbed Henry Beaits, of Chicago, of a
pocket-book containing \$100 while he was passing
through Wall-st about noon yesterday. He was
held for examination in default of \$2,000 bail.

AN IMMIGRANT'S SUICIDE AT SEA.

John Jones, an immigrant from Tredegar, Wales, age fifty-six, was a steerage passenger on the steam-snip Wisconsin when she sailed from Oueenstown

ten days ago. On the first evening out he gave his gold waten and chain, and his money, to a friend. A few hours afterward upon searching for him throughout the ship, without success, the conclusion was reached that he had committed suicide by jumping overboard.

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RON FIRMS EMBARRASSED.

Blake, McMahon & Co., ironfounders, at No. 513 to 519 West Twenty-fifth-st., and Blake & Mahoney, dealers in scrap-iron, at No. 137 Barrow-st., were reported financially embarrassed yesterday, mainly as the result of the stringency in the money market, which, it is said, prevented them from obtaining the necessary funds to continue. It was thought that the firms had ample assets to pay dollar for dollar, and that some arrangement would be made to help them through.

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The Senate Committee on Towns and Villages held two sessions yesterday at the Gilsey House. Three witnesses were examined. Town Clerk Voorhees testfied that when the strip of land extending east of Manhattan Beach to the Point was leased to the Manhattan Company, he and his fellow commissioner, James Armstrong, were under the impression that they were leasing 1,200 feet, instead of 6,600 feet, as it afterward proved. The remainder of the testimony was a repetition of that aiready given. The committee adjourned to meet to-day at 2 o'clock.

ABATTIST ANNIVERSARY.

A BAPTIST ANNIVERSARY.

At the Baptist anniversary in the North Church yesterday morning the "associational" prayer-meeting in the morning was conducted by the Rev. Dr. R. S. MacArthur, of the Calvary Church. The Wonan's Missionary Society held a meeting in the atternoon, after which the history of the Calvary Church in West Twenty-third-st, was read and a sermon preached by the Rev. Dr. J. B. Thomas, of Brooklyn. The evening address was to have been delivered by C. R. Blackall, of this city, on "More Aggressive Sunday-school work," but owing to his Aggressive Sunday-school work," but owing to his inability to be present, the Rev. D. C. Potter, of the Sixth Baptist Church, spoke on that subject.

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THE ARRESTS AT THE AMERICAN THEATRE.

As a result of Captain Ryan's raid on Parker's American Theatre on Tuesday night, fourteen members of the company performing "The Bashful Venus" were arragned in the Yorkville Police Court yesterday. They were charged with disorderly conduct, and with the exception of two girls who pleaded poverty were fined \$10 each. The fines were paid and the defendants left the court together. Parker and Montagne, the proprietors, were taken before the District-Attorney, by whom the warrant was issued.

INSULTING AND ANNOYING A GAMBLER.

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Charles Reed, of the firm of Spencer & Reed, successors to the gambling establishment of John Morrisesy, in West Twenty-ninth-st., appeared in the Jofferson Market Poince Court yesterday, as complainant against William E. Abbott, a gambler, known under the sobriquet of "Paly's Ghost." whom he accused of insulting and annoying him. Abbott pleaded guilty to the charge, and as it was shown that he has been in the habit of annoying prominent men and then demanding money from them, Justice Bixby committed him in default of \$500 bail for his good behavior for six months.

A WOMAN'S TWO HUSBANDS QUARRELLING.

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A WOMAN'S TWO BUSBANDS QUARRELLING.
Nicholas Perney many years ago matried a young woman in Germany. Then he was sentenced to twelve years' imprisonment, and his wife came to America. Here, as her husband's conviction had invalidated their marriage, she married. Wm. Miller, who lives at No. 1.448 Second-ave. Upon being released some two years ago Perney came to this country, and now lives at No. 41 First-st. He has frequently annoyed the Millers, and on Monday night called at their house, where, according to their statement in the Yorkville Police Court yesterday, he repeated his abuse. Miller ordered him to leave the house. A quarrel ensued and Perney received a gash in the head by a blow from a hatchet in the hands of Miller. Miner was held in \$1,000 bail by Justice Kilbreth for trial.

BROOKLYN. BROOKLYN.

Fire Commissioner Partridge's quarterly report to Mayor Low shows that there were 143 fires during the last three months, the loss being \$146,125. In his charge to the Grand Jury, Judge Moore, in the Court of sessions yesterday, called attention to the fact that Mayor Low had invited a searching investigation of the allegeds fraud in the street-cleaning contracts.

cleaning contracts.

James Morton, a baker, has brought a suit in the Supreme Court of Kings County against N. A. Boynton, H. A. Richardson, H. K. Thurber and Julia A. Capwell to recover \$150,000, of which he claims the defendants defrauded him by depriving him of some property of which he held a lease.

President Marphy's weekly report of progress on the East River Bridge shows that 310 posts were placed last week and 122 made ready. The painting on the three roaiway bridges of the Brooklyu ap-proach was finished yesterday, and work is advanc-ing on the foundations for the elevated terminus of the railway in Brooklyn. The Franklin Square bridge is virtually finished.

Madame La Rue, of No. 227 Montgomery-st., was arrested yesterday while plying her trade as fortune-teller.

Spencer M. Rice, late pastor of Grace Church, at Eric and Second-sts., has been chosen pastor of the Church of the Holy Trimty.

D. C. Brooy, a brakeman in the employ of the New-York, Lake Erre and Western Railroad Com-pany, feli from the top of a freight-car on the Hackensack meadows yesterday and was very seri-

ously injured.

David Grant, a resident of this city, began a suit this merning in the Circuit Court against the New-York, Lake Eric and Western Runroad Company for the loss of his son, who was killed by one of the company's engines at the Henderson-st, crossing on March 10, 1881. Grant claims that the accident was caused by the carelessness of the gateman at was caused by the care: the crossing. NEW-JERSEY.

Four additional cases of small-pox have been re-ported to the health authorities.

PATERSON.—Joseph Fletcher, a middle-aged silk manufac urer living in Tyler-st., was attacked and gored on Tuesday evening by a victous cow belong-ing to J. Hennessey, of Tyler and Straight-sts. Mr. Fietcher's condition was critical yesterday...... WESTCHESTER COUNTY.

Whitson's,—A post office has been established at Whitson's Depot, on the line of the New-York City and Northern Railroad.

LONG ISLAND.

RIVERHEAD.—There was a large attendance at the Suttolk County Agricultural Fair yesterday. All the departments were well filled. The annual address before the society was delivered at the Court House last evening by B. G. Northrup, of Connecticut. Alvah M. Salmon, of Peconic, was reelected president of the society.

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Long Island City.—A meeting of the Common Council was held at the City Hall on Tuesday evensing last and after a most unusually protracted session, the Aldermen selected Police Commissioner John E. Lockwood to fill the position of City Treasurer, made vacant by the recent neath of John R. Morris. It is not certain whether Mr. Lockwood with accept the position. The Aldermen also passed a vote of coasure upon the Corporation Counsel for being present at the opening of the safe in the Treasurer's office last Saturday and participating in the actions of those present on the occasion.

—Business at the pool-rooms was very brisk yesterday. There are now four places on Ferry-st, leading to the Hunter's Point Ferry, where the games of roulette and rouge et noit are carried on. No attempt was made by the police authorities to enforce the resolution passed at the uncering of the Police Board on Monday afternoon, directing Captain Woods to close the pool-rooms and the gambling dens. The Captain could not be found any where in the city during the day.

—P. A. Laucashire, the gentleman who was so baddy ocaten and afterward robbed by footpads at Astoria last Sacurday night is slowly recovering, although he is not yet out of danger. The police are still searching for the thieves, but so far their efforts have been unsuccessful.

STATEN ISLAND.

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New-Brighton.—August Dahlmer, an aged German, was arraighed yesterday before Justice Casey on a charge of felonious assault and attempting to kill. The accused man shot and wounded John Decker, a lad, while the inter was on the premises of Dahlmer's employer. A shotgun was used, and the doctors extracted thirty-six shot from the boy's body. Dahlmer was committed for examination. The boy will recover.

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STAPLETON.—While John Schultz was driving one of Bechtel's brewery wagons yeslerday down the Brond-st, hill the brakes on the wagon gave out and Schultz jumped from the seat just before the wagon was wrecked—near the same spot where Kettruff, another driver in the employ of Bechtel, was kided on the previous day by his wagon unsetting. Schultz was not rejured. He had the same team that Kuttruff drove at the time he met his death.

* HIGH PRICES PAID FOR CATTLE.

Seventy head of imported Jersey cattle were sold yesterday at the American Horse Exchange, at Broadway and Fiftieth-st. The animals were brought to this country in July last, on the steamer Canada, and were the property of F. S. Cooper, of Cooper-burg, Pennsylvania. The large attendance of those interested in this particular breed of cattle, the lively bidding and the aggregate price realized—\$44,000—showed that the demand for thoroughbred cattle has not les-

sened since last spring. Buyers came from all parts of the country. Sir George, a three-year-old bull of the favorite Coomassie strain, was bought by Colonel H. S. Russell, of Milton, Mass., for \$5,100. He had taken numerous prizes on the island of Jersey. His points of excellence as described on the catalogue are "solid fawn; black tongue and switch; very thin tall; grand head; amber borns; very low on the ground; excellent barrel; exceedingly rich and very thin and mellow skin, with an excellent thigh escutcheon." It was Sir George's descent from Coomassie, for five years the champion cow of Jersey, however, that was his best recommendation. The following were some of the highest prices obtained: Cicero, two-year-old bull, \$3,100, bought by W. H. Wilkenson' of Springfield, Mass.; Mabel II., six-year-old, \$2,200, by H. S. Russell; Medricsie, two-year-old, \$1,700, by W. K. Vanderbilt; Bobbie's Gem, tws-year-old, \$1,325, by H. S. Russell, and Mabel eight-monthold, \$1,350, by H. S. Russell. Many 'ber animals were bought by Colonel Russell and Mr. Vanderbilt.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

MINIATURE ALMANAG-TJ-DAY. Sunrises, 6:01; acts, 5:36 Moon ris's, -- | Moon's age, days, 2 HIGH WATER TO-DAT. A.M.—Sandy Hook, 2:03; Gov. Island, 2:36; Hell Gate, 4:25 P.M.—Sandy Hook, 2:30; Gov. Island, 3:03; Hell Gate, 4:52

SHIPPING NEWS. PORTOF NEW-YORK WEDNESDAY, OCT. 4, 1882,

SUNSET-Wind at Saudy Hoos, light, 8; cloudy. At City Island, light, SW; clear, CLEARED.

Steamer City of Richmond (Br), Condron, Liverpool and Queenstown—John G Date, Steamer Picardio (Fr), Fortier Marseilles and Barceiona— Louis de Bolinh.— Steamer Habsburg (Ger), Heimbeck, Bremen, via Plymouth— —Outrichs & Co. niedam (Dtch), Harnecourt, Amsterdam-Steamer Schiedam (Dtch), Harnecourt, Amsterdam Funch, Edye & Co. Steamer Francount, Mangum, Portland—J F Ames. Steamer Francount, Galvalader, Clark, Baltimore—J S Krems. Kenmer John Gibson, Young, Alexandria and Georgetown

Steamer Guyandotte, Kelicy, Norfolk, City Point and Rich Steamer Guyandotte, Kelicy, Norfolk, City Point and Rich upond—Old Dominion Ss Co. ond-Old Dominion Ss Co. Steamer Sauto Domingo, Reed, Charleston, SC-J W Quin Caravan, Daggett, Havre-Thomas Dunham's Nephev Bark Louisa Smith (Br), Wright, Antwerp-J W Parker & Co.
Bark Avonmore (Br), Porter, Antwerp—C W Bertanx.
Bark Admiral (Ger), Laner, Bremen-Hermann Koop & Co.
Bark Trino (Aust), Premuda, Palma Majorca, Sp.-Austin
Baldwin & Co.
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Bark Mary C Hufe, Higgins, Vera Cruz-B F Metcalf & Co SAILED.

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Also salied, via Long Island Sound—Ship Amelia, Trieste.

THE MOVEMENTS OF STEAMERS. FOREIGN PORTS.
LIVERPOOL, Oct 4—Arrived, steamer Aleppo (Br), McNay,

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Sailed, steamer Helvetia, Rogers, New-York.
LONDON, Oct 4—Fassed up the Channel, steamer Switzer-land (Beig, Beynon, from Philadelphia Sept 20,00 her way to Antwerp.
QUERNSTOWN, Oct 4—Arrived, steamer Egypt, Sumner, from New York Sept 23, on her way to Liverpool.
Sailed, steamer City of Brussels, Condron, from Liverpool, hence for New-York.
SOUTHAMPTON, Oct 4—Arrived, steamers, Leipzig, Pfeiffer, from Baltimore Sept 22, on her way to Bremen, Sailer, Wiegend, from New-York Sept 23, on five way to Bremen, Pastwer, Oct 4—Signalled, steamer Arizona, Brooks, from New-York Sept 23, on her way to Glassow.

MOVILLE, Oct 4—Arrived, steamer Circassia, Boothby, from New-York Sept 23, on her way to Glassow.

BUNGING, Cot 4—Arrived, steamer Chernbim (Br), Lindberg, from Philadelphia Sept 17, Inizativa (Hal), Rossaco, from Philadelphia Sept 17, Inizativa (Hal), Rossaco, 18.
BELFAST, Oct 4—Arrived, steamer Fairfield (Br), Millard, BELFAST, Oct 4—Arrived, steamer Fairfield (Br), Millard, BELFAST, Oct 4-Arrived, steamer Fairfield (Br), Millard, rem New-Orleans Sept 8.
DUBLIN, Oct 4-Arrived, steamer Hartington (Er), Surties, from natumore Sept 16, BREMEN, Oct 4-Arrived, steamer Donau, Ringk, from New-York Sept 20. Fork Sept 20.

ROTTERDAM, Oct 4—Arrived, steamer Lady Lycett (Br), Lecurre, from New-York Sept 15.

AMSTERDAM, Oct 4—Arrived, steamer Surrey (Br), Bacon,

HALIPAX, Oct 4 - Arrived, steamer Waldenstan, Glasgow, in St. Johna N.F. via St Johns, NF.
Marris's River, Oct 4—Passed inward, steamer Manitoban,
McNicol, from Glasgow for Moutroal,
Hayana, Oct 4—Arrived, steamers Saratoga, New-York;
City of Washington, Reynolds, Progreso, on her way to New-York.

DOMESTIC PORTS. BOSESTIC FORTS.

BOSTON, Oct4—Cleared, steamers Iberian (Br), Maxwell, Liverpool; Gen Whitney, Hallett, New York, Philabetphia, Oct4—Arrived, steamers Pioneer, Platt, New York J W Everman, mith, do.
Saited, steamer Fanny, New York, BALTIMORS, Oct4—Arrived, steamer Camden (Br), Payne, Crossiadi.

camers Leonora (Span), Gartotz, Liverpool; Thorach, Sanderson, Bristol; Wm Kennedy, Warren Cleared, aramers Lourion (spain, outlook, whereas, Warren, Melville (Br.), Sanderson, Bristol; Win Keinedy, Warren, New-York, F W Brune, Foster, da. Sailed, steamers Austrian and Wim Kennedy.

PORT ROYAL, Oct 4—Arrycol, steamer Western Texas, Risk, New-York, and proceeded, to Fernandina.

New-Orleans, Oct 4—Cleared, steamer Australian, Liver-

At the Passes—Arrived, steamers Morgan City, New-York; Venezuelan and Serra, Liverpool. Salied, steamers Lone Star and Knickerbocker. ____

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